

Amendment to the Claims

Claims 1-16. (Canceled)

17. (Previously presented) A process for preparing an abeta antibody comprising the steps of:
 - a. expressing the antibody in cells that endogenously express abeta peptide;
 - b. adding a beta or gamma secretase inhibitor to media used to grow the cells; and
 - c. purifying the antibody from the growth media wherein the purified antibody has an undetectable concentration or has acceptably low levels of endogenously produced abeta peptide.
18. (Previously presented) The process of Claim 17 wherein a gamma secretase inhibitor is added to the media.
19. (Previously presented) The process of Claim 18 wherein the cells are mammalian cells.
20. (Previously presented) The process of Claim 18 wherein the cells are hamster, human, or mouse cells.
21. (Currently amended) The process of Claim 18 wherein the cells are ~~selected from the group consisting of~~ CHO, HEK 293, PER.C6, and NSO cells.

Claim 22. (Canceled)